CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT

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STATE ROUTE 43 ALL-WAY STOP AT 137/WHITLEY AVENUE GOES INTO EFFECT NEXT WEEK IN KINGS COUNTY

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces the installation of new stop signs on the northbound and southbound State Route 43 at State Route 137/Whitley Avenue in Corcoran in Kings County.

New stop signs will be installed on <u>Monday, August 1, 2016</u> for northbound and southbound State Route 43 where it intersects with westbound Whitley Avenue and eastbound State Route 137. Traffic that was previously allowed to continue northbound and southbound on State Route 43 at this intersection, will now be required to stop, making this intersection a four-way stop.

Caltrans and CHP want to remind the public about the "Move Over" law signed by the governor in January of 2010, that requires motorists to slow down and, if safe, move over to a lane not immediately adjacent to a stationary CHP, Emergency or Caltrans vehicle displaying flashing warning lights. To date, 45 other states have enacted similar laws requiring motorists to move over or slow down. Violation of this law is punishable by a fine and citation. So remember...

Move Over, It's the Law!!

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